

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

## **STATUS REPORT BY DEFENSE COUNSEL**

Undersigned defense counsel of record hereby submits the following status report:

First, undersigned counsel respectfully apologizes for any failure to provide the Court information sought by the Court regarding the status of the case or the named defendant in this action. Counsel understands the local rule, and did not intend to attempt to avoid the requirement to file a motion to withdraw as counsel of record. Indeed, if plaintiff's "Stipulation and Order of Dismissal with Prejudice" is not entered by the Court, counsel intends to file a motion to withdraw, either identifying substitute counsel or, if none can be identified, explaining the basis for the inability to identify substitute counsel. Undersigned counsel stands ready to respond to any follow-up questions the Court has with respect to this or any other issue.

Second, undersigned counsel concurs with Plaintiff's Status Report (Doc. 53). Although undersigned counsel did not represent any parties (including the Defendant in this action) through the receivership process, Plaintiffs' counsel's description is consistent with undersigned counsel's understanding of the events and current status of Defendant. Undersigned counsel is not authorized to represent Defendant at this time, and is aware of no management personnel

from whom to obtain further direction regarding representation. Again, undersigned counsel stands ready to answer any further questions the Court has regarding this or any other issue.

Respectfully submitted, this 4th day of June, 2015

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on June 4, 2015, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system which will send a notice of electronic filing to the following:

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